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Date _____

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4. On February 2, 2004, I mailed a letter, attaching a declaration form, to Mr. Pascual at his residence address (1593 Birchmeadow Ct., San Jose, CA, 95131), requesting signature and return of the declaration form "as soon as possible". Mr. Pascual did not respond to this mailing and did not return the declaration. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a copy of the letter that I mailed to Mr. Pascual.

5. On February 17, 2004, I called Mr. Pascual's home telephone number (408-398-1625). Mr. Pascual's answering machine answered the call. I left a voice message on the answering machine requesting that Mr. Pascual contact me or return the declaration. Mr. Pascual did not return this call and did not return the declaration. Attached hereto as **Exhibit C** is an excerpt from our telephone billing records indicating the date and duration of this call as well as the call mentioned in item 6 below.

6. On February 26, 2004, I called Mr. Pascual's home telephone number (408-398-1625). Mr. Pascual's answering machine answered the call. I left a voice message on the answering machine requesting that Mr. Pascual contact me or return the declaration. Mr. Pascual did not return this second call and did not return the declaration.

7. On March 15, 2004, I mailed via certified mail a letter, attaching a declaration form, to Mr. Pascual's residence address. In this letter, I requested that Mr. Pascual return the declaration form "as soon as possible". Attached hereto as **Exhibit D** is a copy of this letter. As indicated in **Exhibit E** attached hereto, the U.S. Postal Service left a notice of this mailing with Mr. Pascual (on March 17, 2004) and has initiated a return of this mailing to the sender on April 2, 2004 because it was not claimed by Mr. Pascual.

8. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: April 5, 2004

Jeannie Miranda

From: Mark Brightwell
Sent: Tuesday, January 20, 2004 9:33 AM
To: 'mikewasserman@alumni.calpoly.edu'; 'ewaartur@yahoo.com'; 'ewmk@comcast.net'; 'paul.ramsey@sun.com'; 'melmerp@yahoo.com'
Cc: James Cook; Jeff Hood; Mark Brightwell; Jeannie Miranda
Subject: Please Sign Formal Papers (5681-59600 Large-Kernel Convolution)

Hello Inventors,

Please confirm receipt of this email (as I'm not entirely sure that these email addresses are still valid).

This is to let you know we filed the patent application entitled "Large-Kernel Convolution Using Multiple Industry-Standard Graphics Accelerators" (5681-59600) on 9/26/03. Below I have attached the formal papers (including an Assignment form and a combined Declaration and Power-of-Attorney form) for your signature.



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Please sign and send these formal papers to us no later than February 5, 2004.

For your convenience, here's another copy of the application and figures.



5681-59600 8-10 Figs. 1-18.pdf
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This application describes and claims the inventions disclosed in SUN disclosures P8993 and P8994:

P8993 Hardware for Large-Kernel Convolution Using Multiple Industry-Standard Graphics Accelerators

P8994 Methods for Combining Commodity Graphics Cards for Multisampling.

If the application meets with your approval, please sign the formal papers and mail them to us via ordinary U.S. mail.

Thanks,
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File: 5681-59600
Combined P8993 & P8994

February 2, 2004

Mark E. Pascual
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San Jose, CA 95131

RE: "LARGE-KERNEL CONVOLUTION USING MULTIPLE INDUSTRY-
STANDARD GRAPHICS ACCELERATORS" – *Wasserman, et al.*
(Our Ref. No.: 5681-59600; Sun Ref. No.: Combined P8993 & P8994)

Dear Michael:

Enclosed for your signature are an Assignment and a Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified patent application filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 26, 2003. Please sign and return these documents to us as soon as possible. You may fax a copy to us at 512-853-8801 and send the original by mail.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Very truly yours,

Mark K. Brightwell

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Enclosures

EXHIBIT C

Account	Service Identifier	Date	Time	From Place	To Place	Area Code/Number	Duration (MM:SS)
171-788-7958	936 Acct/Auth Code 51815960	17-Feb-04	3:37 PM	AUSTIN, TX	SAN JOSE, CA	408 398-1625	1:09
171-788-7958	936 Acct/Auth Code 56815960	26-Feb-04	9:57 AM	AUSTIN, TX	SAN JOSE, CA	408 398-1625	1:18



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March 15, 2004

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
No. 7099 3220 0003 8695 9462

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San Jose, CA 95131

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Name (Please Print Clearly) (To be completed by mailer)		
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Exhibit E

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Shipment Details

You entered 7099 3220 0003 8695 9462

Your item was returned to the sender on April 02, 2004 because it was not claimed by the addressee.

Here is what happened earlier:

- NOTICE LEFT, March 17, 2004, 1:45 pm, SAN JOSE, CA 95131
- ACCEPTANCE, March 15, 2004, 6:00 pm, AUSTIN, TX 78701

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